

Highlights of Governor Schwarzenegger's Clean Air Initiatives

- The California Hydrogen Highway is the first of several much-needed steps to move from fossil fuels to those of cleaner, more renewable fuel sources.
- Two-thirds of California's air pollution comes from mobile sources, and 10 percent of the vehicles currently operation account for 50 percent of the air pollution produced by these mobile sources, according to the California Air Resources Board.
- The Governor has encouraged the use of hybrid technology in vehicles and has signed legislation to open carpool lanes up to hybrid vehicles with a single occupant if they meet a 45 miles per-gallon standard.
- The Governor provided that up to \$141 million each year will go towards replacing older, emission-spewing engines with efficient, clean-burning engines through the Carl Moyer Memorial Air Quality Standards Program.
- Considering electricity production is another major cause of air pollution, the Governor has made it his goal to increase the use of solar energy in California homes one million by 2017.